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RE: BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT DOCKET (09-AFC-6)

December 29, 2009

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
ALAN SOLOMON, ENERGY COMMISSION PROJECT MANAGER
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## DEAR MR SOLOMON TO SECURE A SECURE AND ANALYSIS OF THE SECURE

I OWN PROPERTY IN BLYTHE CALIFORNIA- PARCEL # 818180001-5, (160.54 ACRES) I WAS CONTACTED BY AECOM ENVIRONMENT ON FEBUARY 23, 2009 ON BEHALF OF SOLAR MILLENNIUM REQUESTING ACCESS TO MY PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING BIOLOGICAL AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SURVEYS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE PPROJECT. I AGREED TO ALOW THEM TO ENTER MY PROPERTY THROUGH JULY 2009

I CALLED SOLOR MILLENNIUM IN THE 2<sup>100</sup> WEEK OF MAY 2009 TO DISCUSS THE PLOT PLAN OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT WHICH THAY SENT TO ME. AT THAT TIME I WAS TOLD MY PROPERTY WAS NOT IN THE PROJECT OR BUFFER AREA. I POINTED OUT THEY HAD NOT INCLUDED PARCEL NUMBERS ON THE PLAN AND I HAD DONE SOME CHECKING WITH THE COUNTY RECORDERS WEB SITE AND FOUND I WAS INDEED IN THE PROJECT, AS A MATTER OF FACT I COULD SEE A DOTTED LINE OF A PROPOSED BUILDING SITE ON THE MAJOR PORTION OF MY PROPERTY. I WAS THEN CONTACTED BY PATRICK JORDAN OF WINDEWERE REAL ESTATE OUT OF PALM SPRINGS, HE SET UP A MEETING WITH HIMSELF AND GAVIN BERG SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER WITH SOLAR MILLENNIUM ON MAY 13,2009 AT MY OFFICE IN BULLHEAD CITY. AFTER THE MEETING ON MAY 21,2009 I RECEIVED A PROPOSAL FOR A PURCHASE OPTION FOR FIVE YEARS (5) AT \$5,000.00 PER YEAR, THE PURCHASE PRICE ON THE OPTION WOULD BE BASED ON A VALUE OF \$2.100.00 PER ACRE.

I TURNED DOWN THIS OFFER AS I HAVE A PROPOSED PROJECT ON THIS PROPERTY WHICH I HAVE ALREADY SPENT OVER \$200,000.00 ON ENGINEERING, SOIL TESTING, PERK TEST AND HYDRLOGY TESTS FOR WELL WATER. WE ARE NOT READY TO SUBMIT PLANS FOR PERMITS OR MOVE FORWARD UNTILL WE CAN SEE A UPSWING IN THE ECONOMY.

I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR NOTICESES OF A STAFF WORKSHOP IN SACRAMENTO CALIFORNIA, ALTHOUGH I WIOULD LIKE TO ATTEMED ALL OF THE MEETINGS BUT IT IS A LONG WAY TO TRAVEL. SO I WOULD LIKE TO VOICE MY OPENION BY PROXY. I CAN NOT UNDERSTAND HOW THEY CAN MOVE FORWARD WITH THIS PROJECT WITHOUT FIRST HAVING ALL PROPERTY OWNERS AFFECTED AGREEING TO TERMS. I PROTEST TO THIS PROJECT EVEN IF THE FOOTPRINT WERE MOVED NOT TO INCLUDE MY PROPERTY UNLESS IT WAS FAR ENOUGH AWAY AS TO NOT AFFECT MY PROJECT. I AM CONCERNED WITH GLARE FROM SOLAR REFLECTERS AND THE NOISE OF TURBINS AND PUMPS.

I WOULD LIKE AN UP TO DATE SITE PLAN OF THE PROJECT ALONG WITH PARCEL NUMBERS, IF YOU CAN NOT SUPPLY ME WITH THIS MAYBY YOU COULD STEER ME THE RIGHT DIRECTION SO I CAN AQUIRE THIS IMPORMATION.

INCLUDED IS THE PLAN SOLAR MILLENNIUM SENT TO ME, I HAVE OUTLINED MY PROPERTY.

Sincerely.

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CC: SOLAR MILLENNIUM RICHARD BASINGER PATRICK JORDAN

